Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 02 Jul 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 03 Jul 2021

Forecast Issued on Friday 02 Jul 2021 at 01:06

Confidence: High for transition from drier to more unsettled weather into the weekend. Lower for exact distribution of showers.

Headline for Friday 02 Jul 2021: Low cloud lifting to leave a fine and dry day with intervals of strong sunlight.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 02 Jul 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	10%	10%	10%	<05%

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Weather: Low cloud and fog affecting valleys in the early hours, particularly in western and coastal areas. This will lift and clear through the morning, allowing for an afternoon of sunny intervals. The risk of the odd shower developing through the afternoon, mainly in eastern locations. Turning cloudier through the evening and into the night.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 60% through the morning, rising to 80% in the afternoon and evening.

Visibility: Low cloud and fog affecting the valleys up to 300-400m and reducing visibility during the early morning; clearer but slightly misty above this. The low cloud will lift through the morning and allow visibility at the surface to improve as it does so. Cloud throughout the afternoon and evening largely staying above the summits, with good visibility of surrounding hills.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	7/9 SW	11/15 S	11/16 SW	12/18 SW	10/14 SW	10/12 SE	11/13 SE
600	11/13 S	13/18 S	13/18 SW	12/18 SW	10/14 SW	6/9 S	6/8 SE
300	6/10 S	10/16 S	9/15 S	8/14 SW	6/10 SW	3/7 S	3/5 S
Valley	6/9 S	9/15 S	8/13 SW	7/12 W	6/10 W	3/6 E	3/5 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	12/11	10/8	11/9	12/10	11/9	10/9	10/8
600	13/11	12/9	13/11	14/12	13/11	12/11	12/11
300	14/13	14/12	16/14	17/16	15/15	14/14	14/14
Valley	14/14	15/14	17/16	18/17	17/16	15/15	15/15
Freezing Level*	2400m	2500m	2600m	2400m	2300m	2500m	2600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Care should be taken if out early owing to the poorer visibility. However, although it will be a cloudy and foggy start to the day at the surface, it is important to remember that intervals of strong sunlight with very high UV levels will develop later on and that skin protection will be required.

Forecast for Saturday 03 Jul 2021

Weather: Cloudy start to Saturday with showers soon moving cross the park. These showers could often be heavy, with the risk of thunder and hail, and will continue throughout the morning and afternoon. Cloud will be more widespread in the morning, while more associated with showers in the afternoon, which may allow occasional brighter spells to develop in between. The showers will ease off into the evening and overnight.

Maximum wind: Wind on the summits southerly 10 mph, gusting 20 mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 60% throughout the day

Visibility: Cloud bases largely above the summits to begin the day, but increasing amounts dropping to 300-400m associated with the showers. Very poor visibility in the showers themselves.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 12 Celsius, rising to plus 19 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 10 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summit all day

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